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Is there anything you can do for this Sergeant in the C.F.A.! I told him I would write you & that you might prevail on the authorities to have him recalled & then get him here to finish his studies.

I shall be very glad if you can do anything & would personally appreciate any efforts on his behalf.

Yours sincerely

J. H. McPhedran

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Sept 4th/17

Dear Sir Robert,

A short time ago I had a letter from one Irving B. Rogers a second year man in Medicine in the year 1915 when he enlisted & came over here. He has been to France, has been wounded & latterly has been quite ill. He is now at a training depot & feeling he has done his duty would like to get back to finish his course.

September 26th, 1917

Captain J. P. McPhedran,

Ontario Military Hospital,

Orpington, England.

Dear Captain McPhedran:

We have had a great many similar requests to the one you make on tehalf of Sergeant Roger. I quite think with you that a man who has served so long at the front and who as a medical student having got on so far in his course should now te allowed to come back and finish it. However, the military authorities so far will only recall the fourth and fifth years, and as you realise it is impossible for us in the university to take up the cases of individual students. What I have done in the past is to send a certificate for any who make application stating their course and their character. I shall te glad to do this for Sergeant Roger, but he should take steps through his Commanding Officer or in some other way to have his case presented.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.